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PATENT
Customer No. 22,852
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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:	)	
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Edward J. SARE, et al.	)	Group Art Unit: 1755
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Application No.: 10/679,426	)	Examiner: David R. Sample
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Filed: October 7, 2003	)	
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For: MULLITE-RICH CALCINED KAOLIN COMPOSITIONS AND METHODS FOR IMPROVED CASTING RATES IN CAST CERAMIC BODIES	)	Confirmation No.: 3471

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AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

In reply to the Final Office Action mailed March 27, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims in this paper, beginning on page 2.

Remarks/Arguments follow the amendment section of this paper.

OKAY TO ENTER 5/19/2006